

# Howard Happenings

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## Welcome Back

Former members

Rodney & Gloria  
Byars

## In the News

Did you see the very nice article in the paper on our own 'ACE' Bobby Hollis.

We know Bobby and Carol are special. Now the world knows.

## **THURSDAY MAY 24, 7:00PM**

### **COMMITTEE PREPARED MEAL \$7.00**

Call Karen Clifton by Monday to reserve your place 477-5340  
or if you need to cancel a permanent reservation.

### April Program

Surprise—Surprise—Surprise



Everybody loves a mystery, surprise or just plain intrigue. Well there may be one or two old soreheads who don't but we will ignore them. The mystery lasted all through the meal until time for the program. It was BINGO which most everyone loves. Mary Dell and Tena did the honors of calling numbers and awarding prizes. Pres. Frances did take a peek under the cover, but didn't tell. I didn't win a prize but still had fun. Raise your hand if you had fun too. Ed.

Frances was also sporting her cast (left) and with that dangerous thing no one questioned her authority.



## May Program

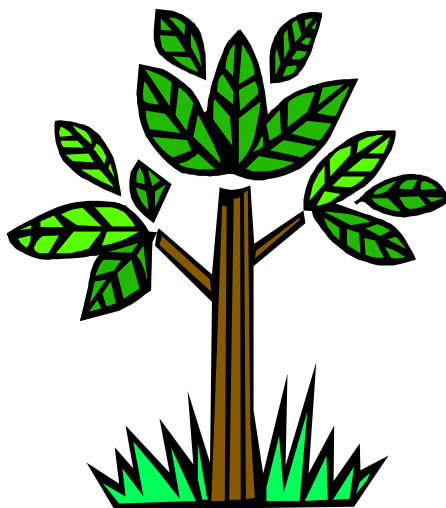
Have you climbed your family tree. Be careful you might find some rotten apples. Genealogy can be addictive and time consuming. But on the other hand it can be very rewarding. Don't miss the meeting and our May program. Our speaker might just get you started on researching your family history.

Our speaker will be:

**Christopher Stokes**

Historian, Archivist

On the staff of Genealogy Room at the  
Washington Memorial Library.



Family tree climbing

## Note of Sympathy

**Former member Jim Benner, died about the time of our April meeting. He had been sick for some time. Jim had served as president of HCC and active in several ways. His wife had died some time earlier.**

## Our Concerns

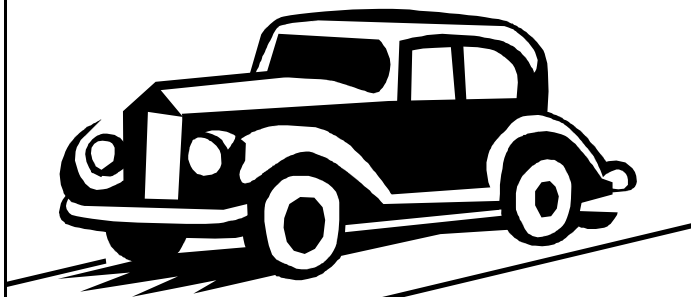
No one has given me any new items for this section however we hope our president Frances continues to heal and gets full use back with her broken bone in her hand.

### Elsie and Cecil

We plan to be at the meeting however we have a scheduled trip to the Mayo Clinic in Jacksonville FL on June 4 for Elsie to have tests in the digestive area, esp. the pancreas. She has been experiencing unusual pain in the midsection for some time now. Your prayers for GOD's healing hand are welcome. Ed.

**Please buy phone tickets at the meeting  
4 for \$1.00**

**Lucky winner receives \$10.00  
This raffle helps pay our phone bill.**



Parking just got easier. We have new lines in the parking lot. Please take just one space. Okay!!!

IMPROVEMENTS CONTINUE. We are getting good comments on the lights on the front steps. And the ramp is the choice for many entering and leaving the building..

### Touch of Humor

The president of a large company sent a fax to the personnel manager requesting a list of the employees, broken down by sex. The manager gave a reply that there were 35 in the factory and 3 were out sick, but none, broken down by sex. If you must know, our main problem is alcohol..

## Wear Your Patriotic Colors

Red ■ White ■ and Blue ■

Mary Dell called to ask that I remind all that this is May and the last day of May is Memorial Day. So I'm guessing the décor for this month is true

RED, WHITE & BLUE

If you don't have all three' wear two, or even one. Everyone has white, so try to add one or both of the others. Check your closet now!!

## Taking care of Business



Diane Gambrell checking with Treasurer Madge Earl on a question of dues records. Madge looks after our funds in an expert manner.

## May Birthdays

**Happy Birthday to all seven**

Edith Brice	Glisa Buford
Betty Crossan	John Culverhouse
Rusty George	Donna Patterson
John Sirmans	

**Name tag drawn from 'hat' !  
Lucky winner receives \$10.00.  
Must be present to win ! !**

## May Food Committee

**Chm: Mary Dell Gardner—477-8262  
Madge and Richard Earl—477-3220  
Ann and Warren Holbert—471-7782  
Caroline and Rick Jones—477-4618  
Mary Grace Murphey—474-0984  
Tom Murphey—477-6358  
Lois Pryor—746-2868  
Linda Wigley—477-2899  
Patsy Young—477-1353**